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Van Epp's Block, Main St. : Dixon Ill

—T. W. Wright is here from Amboy to-day.

—The Riverside shoe factory will be closed a few days for invoicing.

—W. G. Stevens, and daughter, Miss Lonnie are here from Daysville.

—Sheriff Woodyatt went to Elgin this morning with Morris and "Tascott".

—George M. Berley has returned from a visit in Nebraska with his daughter and grandchild

—"The beautiful snow, it cannot do wrong;" unless there is more of it than we had this afternoon.

—Joseph Rhodes has built a large barn on his property, corner of Chamberlain and Hackelton streets.

—Arthur Heft left Dixon with the Bucanan Theatre Company to play the violin in their orchestra

—Andrew Smith is erecting a two thousand dollar residence in North Dixon, north of the elevator, facing Crawford street.

—The Geo. M. Berley place in North Dixon, containing forty-two and a half acres, was purchased last week by A. C. Warner.

—The reading at G. A. R. Hall by Miss Kate Hamlin will begin at 2 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon and not in the evening as stated.

—Charles Curren has broke ground for a new residence for himself and bride on Third Street, second lot west of the corner of Adams.

—Cards are received giving notice of the marriage of Walker Robinson and Alice D. Carpenter, at Hampton, North Dakota, last evening

—Mrs. Fred Fisher, has returned to her home at Highland Park, Chicago, but before going, kindly donated five dollars to the Father Dixon Monument Fund.

—The ladies of the M. E. church will prepare an old-fashioned New England supper and serve it to-night in the basement of the church from five to eight o'clock

—Messrs. R. C. Filson, J. A. Hawley and C. H. Hughes are in Chicago in attendance at the annual conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of this State.

—H. D. Phillips, of Paw Paw, is in the city looking over plans for his new house to be erected on his lot at Highland Park, which is to be ready for occupancy in the spring when he will move to this city.

—If you wish to have your legs and feet educated; be taught to dance gracefully and walk properly, attend the dancing school that will be opened by Prof. H. P Tilden to-night at Armory Hall. See advertisement.

—Rev. W. D. Fuller, who has supplied the Baptist pulpit of this city most acceptably for several Sabbaths, will continue to do so until May next, at which time it is confidently hoped that he will assume the pastorate of that church.

—The Hennepin Canal enterprise beats that all hollow. It is now more than two thousand years since it was first proposed to cut a canal through the Isthmus of Corinth, but the work is at last under way, directed by a Polish engineer, and promises to be completed in 1892

—George B. Adams, the Democratic nominee in Whiteside county for the office of county clerk, has accepted a place with the McCormick Harvester Company of Chicago, and is now in that city. The Democratic party is without a candidate for the clerkship. George was smart enough to know a sure thing when he saw it.

—It was Henry Miller of Palmyra who brought a turnip and a beet to this office that attracks the attention of callers. The former weighs four pounds and nine ounces, and the latter eight pounds and two ounces. The McKinley bill has not deterioated Mr. Millers garden truck much; in "raising" things it also raised big beats.—Better than dead beats surely

—Doctor Clements, of Oregon, whose bad case we have heretofore reported, had his trial for malpractice and was held for the grand jury. Doctor McDowell, who was charged with being a party to the crime, was acquitted; he it appears only acted as a consulting physician. The girl, Miss Plumb, did not die as reported in the papers, but appeared as a witness against the Doctor.

—It is now more than five hundred years since a handful of patriots in the Alps established the Swiss league of free republics, and founded a government that was destined to reach the climax of Democracy in the nineteenth century. To American readers there can be but few subjects of greater interest than the story of a government which has for so long a period been conducted by the people and for the people; and not only all political students but all thoughtful American citizens will welcome with pleasure an article on the institutions and people of Switzerland which is announced to appear in Harper's Magazine for November. The author of the article, Mr. S. H. M. Byers, having been for sixteen years a resident of Switzerland, is amply qualified to give much valuable information regarding that ancient and thorough-going republic.

A LUNATIC STRANGER—LONE WANDERING BUT NOT LOST.

The Unfortunate Boy Cared For.

Wm. B. Tascott was brought before Judge Farrand's court yesterday and by a jury declared insane and he will be sent to Elgin where Doctor Brooks will take him him charge. This is not, we may presume, the Wm B. Tascott who killed the millionaire Snell at Chicago, and for whom a reward of fifty thousand dollars is offered by the widow of the murdered man; but he acknowledges the name of the long sought rascal. He is the young man who appeared last summer in the suburbs of North Dixon about as the Countess Godiva rode through the streets of Coventry a thousand years or so since. Instead, however, of the good woman's flowing capiliary robe Tascott wore a vest and one stocking. His was not a taxsaving mission but a cranky freak which will result in additional taxes, as do the freaks of many another crank. Tascott, as they call him is a young man of about thirty years, rather good looking, light complexioned, and has quite regular features, medium size but slim; in height five feet ten inches. He has remained in jail since his arrest, several months ago, an account of the affair was given at the time by THE TELEGRAPH, and the sheriff has been unable to learn who he is or where he came from. He appears to fail in comprehending the questions put to him as to his name or place of residence, and when asked if his name is so and so, whatever name is mentioned he generally claims as the right one for him to assume. When on trial the Judge asked him if he knew the sheriff with whom he had lived all summer, but he answered by giving his head a negative shake, and would not acknowledge that he ever saw either the sheriff or his deputy before. He reads without, probably, comprehending a word and will perform any duty when ordered by any one, but he does not even wash himself until ordered to do so He has spoken of a town in Texas as his home but so utterly blank appears his mind in regard to the past that no reliance can be placed upon what he says of himself Here is a young man who would be in the "flower of youth" were his mind not apparently entirely destroyed; completely lost to all that makes life worth living. Then how quickly the sorrowful thought comes to one who looks upon this young man: Who is he; where is his home? How many hearts are anxiously hoping for tidings of his whereabouts? How far has he wondered from mayhap a happy home; from father, mother, brother and sister; and why is he in this deplorable condition. A stranger in a strange land among strange people, as utterly helpless as though afloat upon a shoreless ocean, were it not for the noble charity of this enlightened people. The boy is now on his way to be kindly cared for by Doctor Brooks and his assistance at Elgin, who are provided by this great State of Illinois with facilities, as far as possible, to

"Minister to a mind diseased
Pluck from the memory a rooted sorrow,
Raze out the written troubles of the brain
And with some sweet, oblivious anecdote
Cleanse the stuff'd busom of that perilous stuff
Which weighs upon his heart."

—Our Washington dispatches to day state that work on the Hennepin Canal will commence in the spring. The half million appropriation "will be expended on the Rock River dam," adds the report. We presume that this should read "dams" instead of "dam" as there are to be two besides the one at or near this city, and that amount would build more than one dam.

—St. Nicholas for the coming month of November has a story which will be interesting for any one and particularly so for the people of Dixon; as it is written by Noah Brooks, formerly a citizen and business man of this city, but now one of the distinguished literati of the east The story of which we speak is called "The Boy Settlers" and it has much to say of Dixon. The opening chapter speaks of the heroes of the story as persons who "Lived in the town of Dixon, on the Rock River, in Lee county, Illinois. Look on the map and you will find this place at a point where the Illinois Central railroad crosses the Rock, for this is a real town with real people. Nearly sixty years ago, when there were Indians all over that region of the country, and the Red men were numerous where the flourishing State of Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin are now, John Dixon kept a little ferry at the point of which I am now speaking, and it was known as Dixon's Ferry. Even when he was not an old man, Dixon was noted for his long and flowing white hair, and the Indians called him Nachusa, "the White-haired." In 1832 the Sac tribe of Indians, with their chief Black Hawk, rose in rebellion against the government, and then there happened what is now called the Black Hawk War." Then after giving considerable history of Dixon, which the readers of THE TELEGRAPH have read, Mr. Brooks goes on with his interesting story of The Boy Settlers; using many familiar names here, Brubaker, Howell, Alexande et al. for his character.

IT IS IMPORTANT

That all ice accounts should be settled immediately. Please call at Tillson & Hayden's. 2114t3

Look Out for the Rise in the Values of Real Estate.

Work on the canal may begin here soon; in that case values will increase wonderfully. There are few lots with good titles left for sale in the old platt of West Dixon. I have for sale several of the best of these near the college, shoe factor and street railway. Lots are selling in this locality at $10.00 12.00 per front foot. These lots will be sold fo THE NEXT FEW DAYS ONLY, at the old figures, $6.00 to $9.00 per front foot they will be needed for building purposes to accommodate the new shoe factory people. They are great bargains and it is your last opportunity to get lots so near the college and factories at such low prices. Property is cheaper in Dixon to-day than in other places of the same size, and no other city of its size in the State has such advantages and prospects of future developement To secure any of the above property you must apply soon.

C. H. HUGHES.

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GO WEST! YOUNG MAN! GO WEST.

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FOR 30 DAYS.

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LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK TO SELECT FROM

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Pianos and Organs for rent. Leave orders for tuning. A large assortment of Violin, Guitar and Banjo Strings.

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158 GALENA STREET.

POTATOES!

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I. B. Countryman's

IT DIED A'BORNIN'

The Telegraphers' Struggle for Organization.

SURRENDER ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The St. Louis and St. Paul Men Drop the Brotherhood for Their Places—A Little More Stiffness at Chicago—The Locomotive Brotherhood Postpones Federation, with Prospects of Agreement Next Convention—The Australian Labor Troubles.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 30.—The telegraph strike ended last night in an easy victory for the Western Union company. Of the twenty-four operators who went out on Monday all but four were yesterday re-engaged by the company. Two of the four have secured other employment, and the remaining two were offered work by the company in another city. The men re-engaged signed the old agreement of 1883, pledging themselves to quit the brotherhood and become members of no secret organization.

St. Louis Telegraphers Surrender.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—Superintendent Baker, of the Western Union, was waited upon yesterday morning by a committee of telegraphers and gave them to understand that no brotherhood men would be retained in the Western Union company, but if they professed not to belong to the organization they could return to the service of the company after filing their applications. At a subsequent meeting of the members of the brotherhood it was decided that the grand lodge be notified of the resignation of the members of the order here and the surrender of the charter.

The Situation in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Telegraph operators met last night at Odd Fellows' hall to discuss the present situation and to initiate several new members into their order. Though the action of the Western Union in attempting to suppress the brotherhood has struck terror into the hearts of some of the members, there seems to be no inclination on the part of the leaders to give way. Judging from the attendance at the meeting last night the brotherhood does not seem in any danger of breaking up. Although the men disclaim any intention of striking, the initiation of new members is going on quietly but quickly, and the men claim that the agitation has proved a great advertisement for the brotherhood. Still, every movement of the leaders appears to be known to the officials, and the operators are quietly settling down in their old positions, those discharged leaving the brotherhood and resuming their places.

NO FEDERATION THIS YEAR.

The Locomotive Brotherhood Not Yet Ready to "Jine Drives."

PITTSBURG, Oct. 30.—At yesterday's session of the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers the federation question was settled. The convention decided to refuse coalition with the United Order of Railway Employes "this" year, but at the same time did not change the law which permits "system" federation. The executive body representing the engineers of each railroad system may, at its option, affiliate with other organization whose membership is composed of firemen, switchmen, conductors and trainmen. It is inferred by the facts given out that there is a prospect that federation will win at the next national convention.

The Railway Clerks Organizing.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 30.—Delegates representing the railroad clerks of Boston, Buffalo, Cairo (Ills.), Detroit, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland and other important railroad centers met in this city yesterday to form a national organization. J. H. Hanna, of Detroit, was made chairman and W. S. Wilcombe, of Boston, secretary. The constitution discussed provided that the organization should be known as the "American Association of Railroad Clerks," to promote fraternal and beneficial relations among its members.

The Strikes in Australia.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The discouraging reports received from Australia in reference to the great shipping strike are most disappointing to the friends of labor in England. In fact, neither side seems to be gaining any advantage, but the unfortunate struggle has resolved itself into a fight between two resolute bodies of men, and apparently will end only when the funds of one side are entirely exhausted. The struggle is as disastrous to Australia and New Zealand as a civil war would be.

Determined to Fight It Out.

SYDNEY, Oct. 30.—Three thousand strikers at a meeting Wednesday declared in favor of continuing their struggle. The miners of Newcastle have delayed resuming work. There was rioting in Adelaide, caused by unionists molesting non-union men.

The Prices Were Only Fair.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—One of the largest auction sales of silk dress goods was begun yesterday at 366 Broadway. The goods consisted of 3,575 pieces, the production of the Phœnix manufacturing company of Paterson, N. J. The stock consisted mostly of surah silks. The attendance was quite large and prominent houses in all sections of the country were represented. The prices obtained varied from 36 to 46 cents per yard and were considered fair.

Opposed to Women Delegates.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 30.—Trinity M. E. church, of this city, is the first church here to vote on the question of the eligibility of women as lay delegates to the general conference. The election was held Tuesday night, and resulted as follows: Against the proposition, 33; for it, 18. The 51 votes cast represent a membership of 710.

Opened the Wrong Safe.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 30.—A special from Olivet, S. D., says: Tuesday night a robbery was effected in the Hutchinson county treasury at this place. In a small wooden drawer was $327 in cash and $2,300 in warrants which were taken. In another safe which the burglars failed to open was $6,000.

Is the Sultan Satisfied Now?

ZANZIBAR, Oct. 30.—Admiral Freemantle, of the British south African squadron, has captured Vitu and burned the town to the ground. Only three men were wounded on the British side in the attack.

BIRCHALL AND HIS "COLONEL."

Benwell's Brother Favors a Respite—Incredulity at Woodstock.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 30.—George Benwell, brother of Birchall's victim, who came here to testify at the trial, has left for New York, en route to England. Before leaving he expressed himself as feeling that Birchall must have had a confederate in the crime. He said that if Birchall could not say who it was who fired the shots that killed his brother the government should stay judgment until the mystery had been cleared up.

They Evidently Want a Hanging.

The Jackson (Mich.) letter is regarded as the clumsiest fabrication that Birchall has yet put forth. An examination of the handwriting and comparison of it with samples of Birchall's shows a very general resemblance between the two, and in some cases a very striking likeness. Among the communications recently received by Mrs. Birchall is one from an enterprising fellow who declares his willingness to take Birchall's place at the hanging for the sum of $1,000.

The "Colonel" at London.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Inquiries made at Morley's hotel in Trafalgar square in connection with the Birchall-Benwell murder case, recently tried in a Canadian court, develop the fact that an American styling himself Col. Lewis was a guest at that hotel during the month of January last. He was very intimate with Birchall when the latter was at the hotel, but the hotel people do not think it possible that he could have been in Canada at the time of Benwell's murder.

Doesn't Like To Be Called "Smarty."

MONTREAL, Oct. 30.—Mr. George H. Stevens, who saw Birchall, Benwell and the mysterious "Colonel" in London last winter, was seen by a reporter last night. He repeated in substance what has already been printed in these dispatches, and added: "I believe that the 'Smarty' the 'Colonel' refers to in his letter is myself, and it would give me great satisfaction to assist in his apprehension and to bring him to justice."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS A BISHOP.

Chicago Roman Catholics Celebrate a Jubilee.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—The jubilee of Archbishop Feehan was celebrated by the Roman Catholics of this archdiocese yesterday with great pomp and enthusiasm. Twenty-five years ago Archbishop Feehan was consecrated bishop of Nashville, and to celebrate the event 400 priests, many bishops in a radius of hundreds of miles, and thousands of the laity gathered at the Cathedral of the Holy name yesterday morning. The first event was a procession of priests, bishops and other prelates from the school building in the same block to the church, which was packed, and here the archbishop celebrated mass and a sermon was preached giving a history of his work. At night a torchlight procession was reviewed by the archbishop and other church dignitaries.

A Blessing from the Pope.

The following cable was received from Rome: "Congratulations to the archbishop. Apostolic benediction to clergy and flock. Leo III." Among the prominent churchmen present were: Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia; Bishops Hennesy, of Dubuque, Iowa; Chatard, of Vincennes, Ind.; McCloskey, of Louisville; Ryan, of Alton, Ills.; Janssen, of Belleville, Ills.; Spalding, of Peoria, Ills.; Vicar General Gleason, of Nashville, Tenn.; Father Walsh, president of Notre Dame university. The torchlight procession contained about 25,000 people.

The Star on Balfour.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The Star likens Balfour's visit to Ireland to a death-bed repentance, as to the efficacy of which there is a large diversity of opinion. In the judgment of The Star, however, it would be unavailing as a means of finding grace in the eyes of an outraged people and utterly futile in any quarter, unless accompanied by a full acknowledgement of sins committed and performance of acts of reparation.

Mexico Retaliates with a Vengeance.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 30.—Telegrams were received at the stockyards yesterday from agents on the line of the Mexican border stating that the rumors regarding the import duty of $500 a car for cattle, imposed by the Mexican government, were well founded, and that in addition to this duty the grain which it has been the custom to ship in with the cattle was also taxed 30 cents a bushel.

Another Victim of the Mafia.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 30.—Tuesday the body of an Italian was found on the river front with several gashes in his head and a knife thrust over the heart. The cause of the death was a mystery until yesterday, when the police obtained a clew showing that it was the work of the Mafia. The victim, it is believed, was followed here from New Orleans.

To Relieve the Distress.

DUBLIN, Oct. 30.—Mr. Balfour, chief secretary of Ireland, is hastening the preparation for railroad construction in the distressed districts of western Ireland. Employment for a vast number of laborers will be furnished and very many living outside of the districts through which the roads are to be built will be put to work.

Thought He Was "Sighting" the Track.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 30.—Frank Landon, aged 20, was struck by a Lake Shore train near Schoolcraft yesterday and nearly killed. The engineer saw him place his head on one track as the train approached, but he did not attempt to stop the train, as he took Landon for a section boss who was sighting the track.

Michael Davitt Is Inquisitive.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—In an article in the November number of The Contemporary Review Michael Davitt asks why external help is asked or expected for Ireland, when there are £30,000,000 now in Irish banks, a fraction of which would avert starvation, and the shame of asking alms.

Illness of Actress Julia Marlowe.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 30.—Miss Julia Marlowe, the actress, who has been lying ill at the home of Col. A. K. McClure in this city for several days past, is much worse, and all her engagements have been cancelled up to Jan. 1. She is threatened with brain fever.

Will Build to Salt Lake City.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 30.—President Cable, of the Rock Island road, stated yesterday that the building of an extension of the Rock Island to Salt Lake City was among the events of construction likely to soon occur.

INDIAN DELUSIONS.

Mrs. Weldon's Mission to the Sioux Tribe.

HER WARNING TO SITTING BULL.

The Redskins Think a Messiah Is Coming to Relieve Them of the White Yoke—Some Facts About the Beet Sugar Industry—Gen. Miles' Views on Coast Defense—He Thinks We Are Going Too Slow—The Hennepin Canal.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—T. A. Bland, corresponding secretary of the National Indian Defense association, has received a letter from Mrs. C. Weldon, of New York, dated Cannon Ball, N. D., Oct. 8, in which she tells something of the peculiar religious outbreak among the Sioux. Mrs. Weldon's letter is as follows: "I am on the point of going to Sitting Bull's camp. My object in going is to, if possible, defeat a great evil which is spreading with alarming rapidity among the Sioux. Sitting Bull told me about it months ago in strict confidence. But now it is upon the lips of every Indian. It is the belief among the Indians that a Messiah is coming who will destroy the whites, bring all the dead to life, and make the Indians once more powerful and rulers of the land. Because the white people crucified him formerly, he will now help the Indians and be revenged on the white people.

She Warned Sitting Bull.

"When Sitting Bull told me of it, I thought he had heard something about the Christian religion which his mind did not fully grasp, and I gave the concern little attention. On examining further into it, however, I felt deeply concerned for the Indians. I remembered having read recently of one Schweinfurth, living somewhere in Illinois, who professed to be Christ, and even shows the marks upon his hands and feet where 2,000 years ago he was crucified. I told Sitting Bull, and warned him not to be misled by such imposters.

Will Defy the Prophet.

"Matowannah-Taka, a Minnecongo Sioux, they say, is the prophet of the Messiah. And all who do not believe in him he kills, either quite dead or brings them to life again in two days. The Indians believe in him, and fear him. I am going to meet him and defeat him if possible. I have prepared a long speech for the Indians, in which I enter into every detail of this subject; and I hope to convince them of their error. To prove to them that Matowannah-Taka has no power from God to kill whom he chooses, I would meet him face to face, and tell him I did not fear him. I intend to speak most earnestly to the Sioux."

THE BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

Encouraging Reports from the Factory at Grand Island, Neb.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Samples of beet sugar have been received by the Secretary of agriculture from the Oxnard factory at Grand Island, Neb., together with reports to the effect that everything at the factory was running smoothly, and that the quality of the beets was very satisfactory. This report is very encouraging to producers of beets, as their value is increased in proportion to the sugar they contain.

The Capitalists Satisfied.

Information has been received at the department that the capitalists interested in the factory at Grand Island are so thoroughly satisfied with the results attained so far that they have decided to build two more similar factories. As these enterprises represent a total cash investment of $1,000,000, this decision affords a very good indication of the confidence felt by the gentlemen interested in these factories.

A Big Belt of Beet Land.

Something over 1,000 samples of sugar beet have been received at the department from parties to whom seed was furnished last spring, and the analyses made of the samples so received indicate a very considerable belt of country in which the sugar beet can be cultivated with the utmost success for the purpose of sugar making. The increase in beet sugar produced in France and Germany last year over the year previous exceeded in amount the entire Cuban product of the past year. We spend about $100,000,000 per year for imported sugar and molasses.

GEN. MILES ON COAST DEFENSE.

He Evidently Thinks Arbitration Is Good, but Preparation Is Better.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Maj. Gen. Miles in his annual report gives a good deal of space to the subject of coast defense, which is, in his opinion, the most important military question now before the people of this country, and there appears to be less information on this subject, and less interest taken in it than in any other national question. The rapidly increasing wealth in the great cities of the Atlantic, Pacific and Gulf coasts only serves, he says, to court hostilities on the part of foreign powers. The belief that all international questions can be settled by arbitration is good in theory, but dangerous to rely upon. There seems to be a mistaken belief, the general says, that in case of threatened hostilities ample time will always be given to prepare for war.

Will Take Twenty Years.

At the rate of progress we are now making, he believes that it would require fifteen or twenty years to put our coasts in proper condition for defense. In conclusion, he recommends that the sites required for coast defenses, and not already in possession of the government, be secured without delay, and that one-fourth of the appropriation required to place the coast in proper condition of security be made every year for the next four years.

The Hennepin Canal.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Capt. W. M. Marshal, engineer in charge of the work of constructing the Illinois and Mississippi canal (known as the Hennepin canal), has submitted a report to the secretary of war giving his views on the subject, and inclosing estimates and plans for carrying out the will of congress. The appropriation of $500,000 for commencing the work will be largely expended on the Rock river dam. Work is expected to be begun in the spring.

May Lose Its Postal Facilities.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Col. Whitfield, the first assistant postmaster general, has given instructions to the postoffice inspector at Chattanooga, Tenn., to at once proceed to Varn, Ga., where it is reported a lawless mob has control. The postmaster there, in telegraphic dispatches to the department, says that he was obliged to close up the office and seek safety elsewhere. It is more than probable that Varn will lose its postoffice.

Ben Butterworth's Daughter Married.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Miss Mary Butterworth, daughter of Representative Butterworth, of Ohio, was married yesterday afternoon to Mr. Haughwant Howe, an agent of the department of state at the Friends' meeting house in this city. The ceremony was performed in a sick room, as Mr. Howe had been suddenly taken ill on the eve of his marriage.

Frank Hatton Getting About.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Frank Hatton, editor of The Post, who has been quite seriously ill for several months, has sufficiently recovered to go out, and Tuesday he made a brief visit to the office of The Post. He will go south soon as an aid to his permanent recovery.

A Minnesota Man Appointed.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—Secretary Windom has appointed J. K. Moore, of St. Paul, Minn., chief of the appointment division, treasury department, to succeed T. E. Byrnes, resigned.

Appointed to Boss the Redskins.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—George W. Gans, of Tomahawk, Wis., was yesterday appointed superintendent of the Menominee Indian logging business at Green Bay, Mich.

LIKE A RETURN OF THE DEAD.

A Woman Believed Lost in the Longue Point Fire Found by Her Husband.

MONTREAL, Oct. 30.—Last May when the Longue Point Insane asylum was burned it was believed that over 100 people were burned in it. Many patients escaped, but it was supposed they had all been recaptured. Among those in the asylum, but missing, was the wife of Amadee Gauthier, a farmer of St. Laurent. It was thought that she had been burned. Early Tuesday morning Gauthier, accompanied by a neighbor, was coming into town with a wagon load of produce, when they saw a woman lying beside the road. They roused her and asked her what she was doing there. She said she was hunting for the road to St. Laurent, and had traveled for many weeks, mentioning places she had visited in lower Quebec, 200 miles from Montreal. Gauthier asked her to get into his wagon and he would drive her to a hotel further on.

She Was His Own Wife.

As she stepped into the wagon he flashed his lantern into her face and dropped it with an exclamation almost of terror. The woman he had found was his own wife, who he supposed was dead, and whom he had not seen for over eighteen months. They drove her home at once, where it was found that she was half starved and nearly dead with cold. She is incapable of telling a coherent story of her wanderings since her escape from the asylum fire, but her sufferings must have been terrible, as her feet and limbs are blistered and sore. There is great excitement in the village over the affair, and the simple people look upon Mrs. Gauthier's return as a miracle. She will not be returned to the asylum.

Failure of a Lumber Firm.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 30.—The lumber business of Charles P. Deatherage, at 896 Santa Fe street, was yesterday deeded to Odus J. G. Young, trustee by virtue of a chattel mortgage to secure the Merchants' National bank, the National Bank of Kansas City, and M. B. Abell. The National Bank of Kansas City is secured in the sum of $12,000, the Merchants' National bank $10,500, and M. B. Abell $25,000. This is one of the largest lumber firms in the southwest.

She Captured a Swedish Count.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Miss Lily Wilson, daughter of James Wilson, of 272 Madison avenue, was married yesterday afternoon to Count Claes Lowenhaupt, of Sweden, at the residence of the bride's father. The groom is a member of the second oldest house in Sweden, and the bride a well-known society lady of this city. The groom was attended by Mr. Grip, the minister of Norway-Sweden to the United States.

Gladstone Has a Close Call.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—It transpires that Gladstone had an extremely narrow escape while inspecting the new Firth of Forth bridge a day or two ago. While he was absorbed in examining the structure a train rushed by at a high rate of speed, just grazing the ex-premier in its flight, and causing him to cling to the girders to prevent falling into the water.

Better Show for Peter's Creditors.

MANISTEE, Mich., Oct. 30.—The schedule of assets filed by R. G. Peters with the county clerk shows over $6,000,000 in sight, and in case the creditors are able to realize upon the property as listed, everybody will be paid and the lumber baron will then have a snug balance left. The exact amount of assets as given in the schedule are $6,348,522.13.

Stuck to His Innocence.

PERRY, Ga., Oct. 30.—Thomas Woolfolk, who was hung here yesterday for the murder of all his father's family—nine persons—prayed fervently on the scaffold, and declared his innocence in his invocation. He also left a written statement as a dying declaration of his innocence.

An Indian Scare in Colorado.

DENVER, Colo.—Adjutant General Klee is holding the state troops in readiness to rush to the front if the depredations of the Ute Indians in Routt county continue. The Utes are growing more aggressive daily and the settlers are alarmed.

All Quiet at Fribourg.

BERNE, Oct. 30.—Quiet has been restored at Fribourg, the capital of the canton of the same name, the scene Tuesday of conflicts between the Radicals and Conservatives growing out of the cantonal elections held last Saturday.

A Big Thief Captured.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 30.—Frank Losse, wanted in St. Louis for stealing $70,000 from G. D. Latch & Co., was arrested here Tuesday night, and left for St. Louis in charge of detectives.

Bank Building Destroyed by Fire.

BELLEVILLE, Kan., Oct. 30.—Tuesday night fire destroyed the First National bank building and the Phillips block. Loss, $55,000; partially insured.

United States Minister Lincoln has left London for the United States, returning to his post in January.

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NOTES POLITICAL.

Raising the Question of Paying Poll Tax.

BLAINE SPEAKS AT SOUTH BEND.

Iowa Farmers Told to Stand Together Against the Monopolies—The Oklahoma Legislature Has a Heap of Fun—A Member Out Hunting a Gun—Mississippi Voters Must Understand the Constitution—Other Campaign Items.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 30.—The Republicans yesterday had two warrants issued against voters whose poll taxes were paid by the Democratic city committee and whose registration is thus claimed to be fraudulent under the statute. Some 300 Democratic names have been placed upon the list in this way and these test cases are brought to settle the legality of their presence thereon.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 30.—A singular case was presented to the supreme court yesterday. E. E Thomas, of Omaha, sought to enjoin some 600 citizens of Omaha, who are foreign born but recently naturalized, alleging that the fees for their naturalization were paid by the Personal Rights league of that city, an anti-prohibition organization, and that this action by the league amounted to bribery. The case was argued for the relator by John O. Yeiser, but the court refused to take jurisdiction and the papers were withdrawn. It is reported that they will be filed again in a modified form.

BLAINE AT SOUTH BEND.

The Premier Talks to the Hoosiers About Politics.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 30.—Hon. James G. Blaine reached here at noon yesterday on his way from Chicago to Washington City. After partaking of luncheon at the residence of Mr. James Oliver Mr. Blaine, accompanied by Hon. Walter Phelps, was driven to the town skating rink. The rink was filled with a large and enthusiastic crowd of South Bend and Goshen Republicans, who loudly cheered Mr. Blaine when he appeared on the platform. Mr. Blaine spoke for about half an hour. His speech was confined to the tariff, reciprocity and Indiana's greatness as a fighting state, both in the war and in elections.

The Reciprocity Question.

In speaking upon reciprocity he declared that the United States had acted against the South American republics in not admitting their goods free. Now, he said, the Republican party proposed to give them a market in this country and secure a market in their country for our goods. The reciprocal policy, he said, would give the farmers of America in two years a market of 35,000,000 people. He closed his speech with a tribute to President Harrison. Immediately after the meeting the party proceeded on their way to the capital.

OKLAHOMA STATESMEN.

Some Specimen Proceedings—A Kicker a la Kilgore.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Oct. 30.—The legislative hall was thrown into an uproar Tuesday over the action of Representative Terrill. The assembly had been in session all night until 2 a. m., when the representative demanded that Senator McCarthy, who was on the floor lobbying for the Kingfisher bill, be ejected. The speaker refused to comply with the request, when Terrill said he would leave the hall. The speaker ordered the door locked, but Terrell kicked it open and went out, followed by so many members that the assembly adjourned.

Will Have Order or Blood.

Yesterday morning Terrell walked to his desk, and laying a revolver on it, said he would see whether the speaker and others would be allowed brazenly to disregard the rules of the house. The sergeant-at-arms, after a struggle, disarmed Terrill, who went out to hunt another gun. The bill was defeated.

Must Read or Understand.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 30.—The constitutional convention yesterday refused to reconsider by a vote of 67 to 34 the vote adopting the famous understanding clause of section 5 of franchise report. The section provides that all electors must be able to read any section of the constitution or understand the same when read to them, or give a reasonable interpretation thereof. The last part of the section has been severely criticised as opening wide the doors for fraud, and was an invitation to the registrars to register whomsoever they desired.

Iowa Farmers' Alliance.

DES MOINES, Ia., Oct. 30.—The Iowa Farmers' Alliance met here yesterday in annual session with an attendance of 600 delegates. President J. B. Furrow in his annual address dwelt at some length upon the necessity of remedying present industrial conditions by legislation and by the application of better methods of farming. He exhorted the members of the Alliance to band together, vote together, and to present a firm and united front to the monopolies of the country. The work of organization was completed.

Going to Test the Law.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 30.—President Louis Reemelin, of the Cincinnati board of improvements, arrived in the city Tuesday night, and Wednesday filed a petition in the supreme court to restrain the members of the new board of public affairs appointed by Mayor Mosby, from entering upon their duties. The proceeding is by consent and a decision is sought on the constitutionality of law passed last week.

Speaker Reed at Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 30.—Speaker Reed was given an ovation in Milwaukee last night. He talked for an hour at Schlitz's park to an audience approximating 5,000 people. He confined his remarks to the tariff, the force bill, and the rulings of himself as speaker. He left later for Michigan, where he will make several speeches.

Withdrew in Favor of the Farmer.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 30.—Tully Scott, Democratic candidate for congress in the Sixth Kansas district, yesterday withdrew from the canvass in favor of W. A. Baker, the People's party or Farmers' Alliance candidate.

Accidentally Shot by an Unknown.

MOBERLY, Mo., Oct. 30.—Charles Richie, of St. Louis, was accidentally shot and killed in a shooting gallery yesterday by a pistol in the hands of another man, who disappeared and is not known.

THE RUSSIAN INSURRECTION.

Outrageous Oppression the Cause and Arson and Murder the Effect.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—A dispatch from Vienna says that the Russian authorities at St. Petersburg and Odessa are making every effort to suppress the circumstances connected with the outbreak of the peasantry in southern Russia. The revolt is said to have originated in the stringent enforcement of the conscription, from which the rich landholders find ways to secure exemption, and the cruelties exercised upon the peasants by the petty officials, with the view of breaking the spirit of the people. The elders of villages men held in veneration by their neighbors, have been brutally flogged for small alleged offenses and the knout has been used on the slightest pretexr. The outbreak originated near Zmiev, about fifty miles from Kharkov, being prompted by some act of judicial cruelty not fully known.

A Crusade Against Aristocracy.

The peasants not having firearms seized any weapons at command, and drove the magistrates from the place and began a campaign of murder and arson against the officials and aristocracy. The first detachment of troops sent against them was defeated and forced to retire, and Gen. Dragomieroff ordered six regiments of infantry and two of cavalry to the scene. They at last accounts had not yet encountered the peasants, said to be swollen to vast numbers and very resolute, though badly armed.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Twenty cases of la grippe are reported at Carlyle, Ills.

It costs $3,025,000 to run the New York city public schools for one year.

The first snow of the season fell at Detroit Wednesday. It was very damp, and melted as fast as it fell.

The Farmers' and Traders' National bank of La Grande, Ore., capital $60,000, has been authorized to begin business.

Thirty Armenians were arrested at Constantinople Wednesday charged with conspiring against the Turkish government.

Two men have been arrested under the cruelty-to-animals law, at Scranton, Pa., for trying to force a mule to drink beer.

Miss Lizzie Phelps, a society belle of Binghampton, N. Y., worth $100,000, was married there Wednesday to William Slattery, the family coachman.

Simon Gleeson and Alice Sadler refused to testify in the Tipperary riots trials Wednesday when called by the crown, and were committed for contempt.

Norris Watts, son of an English capitalist, was shot through the groin Wednesday while out hunting near Cumberland Gap, Ky., by some unknown person.

The ship on which Capt. John Orth, formerly Archduke Johann Salvador, sailed from Montevideo nearly four months ago, is supposed to have been lost.

Over 300,000 Poles and Gallicians have emigrated from Russia to Brazil within the last six months, and double that number would have sailed if allowed to by the government.

At the conclusion of the base ball championship game, at Brooklyn, Tuesday, it was decided to postpone the remaining games to next spring, on account of the bad weather.

Kronberg castle, once the residence of Martin Luther, has been purchased by the Empress Frederick, who will convert it into an institution of charity in memory of her husband.

The customs officers at New York Wednesday seized a large number of tickets in German lotteries that had been brought over as baggage, on the ground that the tickess were immoral.

W. L. Larkin, a Sheffield, England manufacturer, is in Pittsburg, Pa., looking about for a site for a cutlery factory. He says that the McKinley bill forces him to come over here to save his trade.

It is expected that the coal miners in the Springfield, Ills., district will strike Nov. 1 for an advance in wages. This will be a violation of the agreement with the operators made last May, but the miners say the conditions have changed.

Thomas Woolfolk, who butchered nine persons in his father's house in Robb county, Ga., Aug. 6, 1887, the victims being his father, stepmother, and their children, together with an old lady visitor, was hanged at Perry, Ga., Wednesday.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 30.—The following are the weather indications for thirty-six hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Indiana—Colder, fair weather; northwesterly winds; light rain or flurries of snow in extreme northern portion. For Illinois—Fair weather, except light showers or flurries of snow in northeast portion; slightly warmer by Friday morning; northwesterly winds. For Lower Michigan—Colder weather; northerly winds; cloudiness and light rain or flurries of snow. For Upper Michigan—Colder, cloudy weather, with flurries of snow; northerly winds. For Wisconsin—Cloudiness, with light rain or snow; northwesterly winds, becoming variable and slightly warmer by Friday morning. For Iowa—Clearing weather; northerly winds, becoming variable and warmer.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.

Quotations on the board of trade to-day were as follows: Wheat—No. 2 November, opened $1.01⅝, closed $1.01¼; December, opened $1.03½, close $1.02⅝; May, opened $1.08¼, closed $1.08. Corn—No 2 October, opened 52½c, closed 52c; December, opened 52⅝c; closed 52⅛c; May, opened 55¾c, closed 55. Oats—No 2 October, opened and closed 43¼c; December, opened and closed 43½c; May, opened 47c, closed 46¾c. Pork—November, opened and closed $10.15; January, opened $12.12½, closed $12.17½; May, opened and closed $12.85. Lard—November, opened and closed $6.5.

Live stock—Union stock yards prices: Hogs—Market fairly active and prices easy at the late decline of yesterday: light grades, $3.30@4.05; rough packing, $3.70@3.80; mixed, $3.70@4.10; heavy packing and shipping lots, $3.85@4.20

Produce: Butter—Fancy separator, 25½c per lb; fine gathered cream, 19@21c; finest dairies, 17@20c. Eggs—Fresh candled, loss off, 20c per doz. Live poultry—Chickens, hens and spring chickens, 6½@7c per lb; turkeys, 9@10c; ducks, 8½c. Potatoes—Choice to fancy, 70@75c per bu.; Wisconsin, 65@70c; sweet potatoes, $2.00@$2.75 per bbl. Apples—Illinois green cooking, $2.75@3.50 per bbl.; eating, $3.50@4.50.

New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter cash, $1.09; do December, $1.09¼; do January, $1.10⅛; do May, $1.12½. Corn—No. 2 mixed 59¾c cash; do November, 59⅝c; do December, 60½c; do January, 60½c. Oats—Dull; No. 2 mixed cash, 49c; do November, 49c; do December, 50c. Rye and barley—Nominal. Pork—Dull; mess, $11.25@11.50. Lard—Quiet and unchanged.

Live stock: Cattle—Market steady for medium to prime offerings, but weak for common steers; poorest to best native steers, $3.25@4.75 ₩ 100 lbs; Texans, $3.00@3.30; bulls and dry cows, $1.70@2.65. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, firm; lambs, a shade higher; sheep, $4.00@5.50 ₩ 100 lbs; lambs $5.00@6.65. Hogs—Market dull; live hogs, $4.00@4.40 ₩ 100 lbs.

SEVEN WONDERS OF COREA.

Some Very Remarkable Natural Curiosities That Are Worth Seeing.

Corea, like the world of the ancient, has its "seven wonders." Briefly stated they are as follows:

First—A hot mineral spring near Kin-Shantao, the healing properties of which are believed to be miraculous. No matter what disease may afflict the patient a dip in the water proves efficacious.

Second—Two springs situated at a considerable distance from each other; in fact, they have the breadth of the entire peninsula between them. They have two peculiarities. When one is full the other is always empty; and notwithstanding the obvious fact that they are connected by a subterranean passage one is of the bitterest bitter, and the other pure and sweet.

Third—The third wonder is Cold Wind cave, a cavern from which a wintry wind perpetually blows. The force of the wind from the cave is such that a strong man cannot stand before it.

Fourth—A forest that cannot be eradicated. No matter what injury is done the roots of the trees, which are large pines, they will sprout up again directly—like the phenix from her ashes.

Fifth—The fifth is the most wonderful of the seven natural curiosities of the peninsula. It is the famous "floating stone." It stands, or seems to stand, in front of the palace erected in its honor. It is an irregular cube of great bulk. It appears to be resting on the ground, free from supports on all sides, but, strange to say, two men at opposite ends of a rope may pass it under the stone without encountering any obstacle whatever!

The sixth wonder is the "hot stone," which from remote ages has laid glowing with heat on top of a high hill.

The seventh and last Corean wonder is a drop of the sweat of Buddha. For thirty paces around the large temple in which it is enshrined not a blade of grass will grow. There are no trees or flowers inside the sacred square. Even the animals decline to profane a spot so holy.—St. Louis Republic.

He Was a Father Himself.

He was an old man, bent and gray. In spite of his unkempt appearance and his poor faded clothes there was a certain nobility in his face that could not but attract the casual observer. He sat in the anteroom of the police court, together with a score of other prisoners. Upon his knees he held a little girl whose uncared for appearance could not hide her childish prettiness. She leaned against his breast, and on her head there fell now and then a great tear.

"What oo cryin' for, popper?" the little girl would say when some of these tears crept beyond her tumbled curls and down her forehead. Even the sottish crowd about them grew respectful. The two were so pathetic.

Finally the man's name was called and he appeared before the judge. He stated his case. The charge was some minor offense. Just then the little girl, who had begun to realize that her father was in some danger, crept near. The judge caught sight of her. The child crept up, in spite of the gaze fixed on her from the bench, and clung to her father's hand.

"Is that your child?" asked the judge.

"It is, your honor: my motherless child."

The sternness died out of the eyes of the judge and a moist tenderness took its place. He was a father himself. He raised his handkerchief without shame to wipe away the gathering dimness.

"I cannot do it," he said within himself. Then, looking at the prisoner before him, he said, in a voice choked with feeling:

"Thirty days."—Chicago Special Press Bureau.

Gaining a Reputation with Ease.

A South Carolina physician, asked why he located at Monclova, said: "It is a first rate place for a doctor. If a man is sick all you have to do is to tell his friends (no matter whether the affair is serious or not) to go to a priest and have him confessed and prepared for death. If he dies they will say: 'What a good doctor he is. He knew he must die, and so had his spiritual interests attended to.' If he recovers they will say: 'What a capable physician he must be. The man was in the last extremity and prepared for death, and he cured him. So in either event it is a first rate place in which to achieve a medical reputation."—Medical Record

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The following letter from Mr. W. A Thomson, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backache, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc Ask at Tillson & Hayden's drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart. 2

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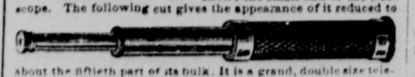

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CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN R. R.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No. 1 Overland Limited	1:52	A. M.	A
No. 7 Pacific Express	2:09	A. M.	A
No. 11 Clinton Pass	12:46	P. M.	C
No. 3 Omaha Express	3:42	P. M.	A
No. 9 Sterling Pass	7:39	P. M.	A
No. 5 Denver Limited	8:57	P. M.	C

TRAINS GOING EAST

No. 8 Atlantic Express	3:10	A. M.	A
No. 6 Denver Limited	4:59	A. M.	C
No. 10 Sterling Pass	6:47	A. M.	A
No. 2 Overland Limited	10:28	A. M.	A
No. 4 Chicago Express	10:53	A. M.	C
No. 12 Clinton Passenger	2:22	P. M.	C

Freight trains are allowed to carry passengers as follows:

EAST BOUND.

No. 46, bet'wn Sterling and Turner.	7:50	A. M.	C
No. 34, " Clinton and Turner.	2:22	P. M.	C
No. 18, " Clinton and Cortl'nd.	7:45	P. M.	A

WEST BOUND.

No. 35, bet'wn Rochelle and Clint'n	6:42	A. M.	A
No. 17, " Cortland and "	10:20	A. M.	C
No. 45, " Turner and Sterling,	2:32	P. M.	C
No. 15, " " Clinton,	5:35	P. M.	C

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GOING SOUTH.

Passenger†	11:08	A.M
Passenger†	3:15	"
Minonk Passenger†	5:35	P.M
Freight†	3:00	"

GOING NORTH.

Passenger†	2:55	A.M
Minonk Passenger†	6:18	"
Passenger†	2:43	P.M
Freight†	5:35	"

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A Natural Barrier in the South to the Extension of Slavery.

Slavery, as is well known, depended for its extension on two important crops, both of which demanded a large amount of cheap labor and afforded articles which commerce greatly demands. The institution rested on the industries of tobacco and cotton growing. Only where one of these crops could be profitably tilled did the institution ever firmly establish itself. A glance at the map will show that the Appalachian system of mountains widens as we go southward from Pennsylvania until it occupies nearly one-fifth of the southern states, extending southward so as to include half of Virginia and North Carolina, a considerable part of western South Carolina, much of Georgia, Tennessee and Kentucky and a part of Alabama.

In this section the character of the soil and form of the surface and the nature of the climate make the land unsuited for the extended culture of either tobacco or cotton. The result was slavery never firmly established itself as an economic institution in any part of this vast territory. Here and there in the more fertile valleys a few slaves were employed, but there are counties in this area where a slave was never held, and where, to this day, a negro is so great a curiosity that people will journey miles to behold him. The natural result of this distribution in the negro population was that the mountain districts of the south were separated in their political motives from the plane country.

When the rebellion occurred the Appalachian country was a region where disaffection toward the Confederacy prevailed; to a great extent the men cast in their lot with the north, or at least gave their sympathies to the Federal cause. The peoples of eastern Kentucky and Tennessee and western Virginia—and generally those of western North Carolina as well—recruited the ranks of the Federal army.—Professor N. S. Shaler in Scribner's.

Artificial.

Donald is a little boy who finds great delight in the society of his pets. Kittens are his treasures, and even a furry and weather beaten donkey inspired in him such an affection that he cried for a whole day when his father refused to buy the little beast of burden. Like most people, however, Donald draws a line between what is worthy his admiration and the coin which is spurious.

One day an old lady from a neighboring town came to dinner, and made herself very agreeable to the little boy. At first he seemed to take a great fancy to her, but, as his mother noticed, treated the guest's invitation to visit her with some indifference.

"Don't you want to go over and spend a day with Aunt Rebecca?" asked mamma that night when Donald was in his cot.

"Don't know as I do," was the brusque reply.

"But I heard her tell you she had a beautiful great cat, and that you might play with it."

"That's all very well," said Donald scornfully, "but I found out, when she kept on talking, that it wasn't a real cat, after all!"

"Not a real cat?"

"No; only a tortoise shell."—Youth's Companion.

Rapidly Attained Wealth.

The recently removed president of the Argentine Republic was three years ago, at the time of his election, a poor lawyer, poor in attainments as well as in purse. In fact he was not worth, all told, $2,000 when he was made president, and after getting the benefit for three years of a $50,000 salary he is now immensely wealthy.

This speaks well for the perquisites of a good office, but it is true of every office in proportion to its importance. Anything or anybody in the republic can be bought, the only question being price. President Celman's full name? Well, it is Senor Don Miguel Juarez Celman.

He now has £6,000,000 in London, or is currently believed to have, and it is nothing more than reasonable, for it is known that the Buenos Ayres Water Works company, an English syndicate, paid him an immense sum for the privileges, and this is only one instance of many. He also owns a splendid palace in Buenos Ayres and a large and well stocked ranch in the province of Cordova, of which his brother is governor. —Kansas City Times.

Negroes Rarely Commit Suicide.

"There are plenty of cases on record in which colored people have been killed by members of their own race, but a negro seldom, if ever, commits suicide," observes Coroner Frank. "I know of no nationality or race in which self murder is so rare, and the reason is of course the extreme philosophy which characterizes the colored man or woman's every thought.

"There may be a good deal of grumbling, but so long as the next meal ahead is provided for there is nothing so much as solicitude, let alone anxiety, and just where despair can be found in a colored man it is hard to say. The negro may labor under a good many disadvantages, but he certainly is ahead of his white brother in the matter of enjoying himself heartily on the least possible provocation, and of never thinking of such a thing as meeting trouble half way."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

How "Providence" Works.

At Battle Ground, Ind., a brakeman on a freight train left the switch open and sat down with a friend for a smoke and a game of eucher. At the end of an hour, much to his surprise, a passenger train came along and was ditched.—Detroit Free Press.

A highly recommended corn cure is to take a lump of common washing soda, dip the end in water, and rub the corn well with it every morning. It must be repeated two or three times a week until the corn ceases to cause annoyance.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT JAMES.

Teachers' Opposed to any Change.

At the Teachers' Institute at Ashton Oct. 25th, 1890 the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS the official term of P. M. James Esq, as County Superintendent of of Schools of Lee County is soon to expire and

WHEREAS he has been nominated for the same office for the ensuing term of four years. and

WHEREAS in our judgement he has performed the duties of this important office with energy and efficiency as is shown in the increased enthusiasm and interest manifested by the teachers of the County and also in the improved condition of the schools within his jurisdiction, and

WHEREAS under his efficient superintendence several of our County schools have been enabled to secure premiums at the State Fair for excellence of work. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, the teachers of Lee County assembled in this Institute, do most heartily approve of the work of Mr. James during his term now closing, and that we should deprecate any change in the incumbency of the office of County Superintendent for the ensuing term.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

Committee. { C. C. Buckaloo. Emma G. White. E. C. Smith.

On motion of Mary Porteous, the Lee County papers were requested to publish these resolutions.

W. H. Williamson. President. Frankie Stewart. Secretary.

Real Estate Transfers.

The county records show the following real estate transactions during the past two weeks in Lee county:

E. S. Fargo to D. C. Leake, wd, pt 12 all 13 b90, Dixon, $4,000.

Albert Jones to W C Durkes, qcd, pt sec 8 t21 r11, $3,500.

Elizabeth D Foster to R Schutz, wd, pt sec 33 t22 r10, $15,000.

J. H. Cropsey and B. F. Shaw to G. L. Herrick, qcd, pt 11 b40, N. Dixon, $2.

W H Bull to Lawson Scott, wd, pt secs 9-16 t20 r11, $3,500.

G L Herrick to A C Warner, wd, pt 11 b40, N Dixon, $400.

Minerva Northway to A Schmett, wd, sec 3 t20 r10, $3000.

O Harty to H Killenback, wd, ls1-2 b28 Amboy, $300.

E O Smith to W. T. Yetter, wd, 18 b5, Gilson's ad Amboy, $500.

N Underwood to W Barge, qcd, 13 b56, N Dixon, $250

F M Coe to Mary J Sawyer, wd, all 17 pt 18, Highland Park, $525.

W H McFadden to C McFadden, wd, sec 17 t19 r10, $2,800.

Maggie B. Palmer to A LeFever, wd, pt sec 7 t21 r8, $685.

Margaret O'Connor to J Dement, estate, qcd, all right to Parson's ad except lots 6 and 7 b11, $1.

J W Stephens to T A Holway, wd, 11 b 40, W Dixon, $350.

I M Peck to B. F. Peck, qcd, pt sec 4 t 20 r9, $5,000.

B. F. Peck to I M Peck, qcd, pt sec 4 t 20 r9, $5,000.

Heirs of P Ganz to J Schmidt, wd, sec 35 t37 r1, $4,000.

Ira Coakley to G Henky, wd, pt ls1-2 b 14, Dement's ad, $325.

C R Hall to M D Hathaway and D W Baxter, wd, sec 4 t38 r1, $1,400.

G H Geyer to G Geyer, wd, pt 14 b13, Ashton, $350.

J Dement estate to A H Hammerstrom, wd, pt ls4-5, b49, Dement's second ad, $150.

W J Wells to Mary Wells, wd, 12 b6 Amboy, $1,000.

From Nachusa

The church committee, after a due consideration, chose a limited number of persons to represent the choir for the dedication services, after which time there will be no reserved seats and it will be "Let all sing that can". We sincerely hope all will bear in mind Mr. Ruthrauff's words with reference to preserving unity; as no offense has been intended towards anyone in the arrangements thus far made.

Superintendent James awarded the the State examination $5 prize for the Intermediate Arithmetic class Wednesday evening at the Garrison school house. The honors were confered upon Misses Sibyl Hart, Bessie and Mabel Bender with Miss Clem Walgren as teacher. The program for the evening was interesting and pleasing.

Mrs. Chas Floto with her two children enjoyed a very pleasant visit with relatives in the east.

Mrs. James Heaton, Mrs. Andrew Heaton and children, with Misses Jennie and Ethel Girton returned from Dakota Saturday.

Phillip Miller's stock sale netted him about twelve hundred dollars. E. W. Smith, acted as clerk and Levi Avey auctioneer. The following persons received premiums on colts. Samuel Boyer, A. L. Heckman, B. F. and E. S. Miller.

A social hop was given at Crawford's Hall Saturday evening, where a good time was enjoyed.

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All the latest styles of fall and winter Millinery, at Brown's, over Rust's, Van Epps Building. 2105tf

Go to Huguet's Grey Horse Harness Shop for the best harness, best buggies and carriages in the city. 1990 1073tf

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